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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
George Hsieh, et al.) Examiner: Vijayakumar, Kallambella W.
Application No.: 10/039,300)
Filed: January 2, 2002)
For: ATTACHING COMPONENTS)
TO A PRINTED CIRCUIT CARD)

MS: Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a)

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed on January 6, 2004, for which a three-month response period expiring on April 6, 2004, was set. The extended period expires on May 6, 2004.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to MS: Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on:

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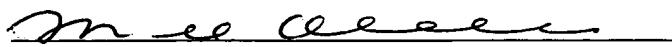
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A check for \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for a one-month extension of time. If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: May 6, 2004



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FEE TRANSMITTAL FOR FY 2004

(FY 2004 Begins 10/01/2003)

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 110.00

Complete if Known:

Application No. 10/039,300
 Filing Date 01-02-2002
 First Named Inventor George Hsieh
 Examiner Name Vijayakumar, Kallambella W.
 Art Unit 1751
 Attorney Docket No. 42390P10393

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

Check Credit Card Money Order Other None

Deposit Account

Deposit Account Number : 02-2666

Deposit Account Name: _____

The Director is Authorized to do the following with respect to the above-identified Deposit Account:

Charge fee(s) indicated below.

Credit any overpayments.

Charge any additional fees during the pendency of this application.

Any concurrent or future reply that requires a petition for extension of time should be treated as incorporating an appropriate petition for extension of time and all required fees should be charged.

Charge fee(s) indicated below except for the filing fee.

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| Fee | Fee | Fee | |
| Code | Fee | Code | |
| 1001 | 770 | 2001 | Utility application filing fee |
| 1002 | 340 | 2002 | Design application filing fee |
| 1003 | 530 | 2003 | Plant filing fee |
| 1004 | 770 | 2004 | Reissue filing fee |
| 1005 | 160 | 2005 | Provisional application filing fee |

SUBTOTAL (1) \$.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

| | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|--------------------|--------------|-------------------|------------|
| Total Claims | <u>14</u> | <u>- 30** =</u> | <u>.00</u> |
| Independent Claims | <u>2</u> | <u>- 3** =</u> | <u>.00</u> |
| Multiple Dependent | | | |

**Or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below.

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Description |
|--------------|--------------|---|
| Fee | Fee | Fee |
| Code | Fee | Code |
| 1202 | 18 | 2202 |
| | | 9 |
| | | Claims in excess of 20 |
| 1201 | 86 | 2201 |
| | | 43 |
| | | Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 1203 | 290 | 2203 |
| | | 145 |
| | | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid |
| 1204 | 86 | 2204 |
| | | 43 |
| | | **Reissue independent claims over original patent |
| 1205 | 18 | 2205 |
| | | 9 |
| | | **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

SUBTOTAL (2) \$.00

FEE CALCULATION (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

| <u>Large Entity</u> | | <u>Small Entity</u> | | | |
|---------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|--|-----------------|
| Fee | Fee | Fee | Fee | <u>Fee Description</u> | <u>Fee Paid</u> |
| Code | (\$) | Code | (\$) | | |
| 1051 | 130 | 2051 | 65 | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | |
| 1052 | 50 | 2052 | 25 | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | |
| 1053 | 130 | 1053 | 130 | Non-English specification | |
| 1812 | 2,520 | 1812 | 2,520 | For filing a request for ex parte reexamination | |
| 1813 | 8,800 | 1813 | 8,800 | Request for inter parties reexamination | |
| 1804 | 920* | 1804 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 1805 | 1,840* | 1805 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 1251 | 110 | 2251 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | 110.00 |
| 1252 | 420 | 2252 | 210 | Extension for reply within second month | |
| 1253 | 950 | 2253 | 475 | Extension for reply within third month | |
| 1254 | 1,480 | 2254 | 740 | Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 1255 | 2,010 | 2255 | 1,005 | Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 1401 | 330 | 2401 | 165 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 1402 | 330 | 2402 | 165 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 1403 | 290 | 2403 | 145 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 1451 | 1,510 | 1451 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 1452 | 110 | 2452 | 55 | Petition to revive – unavoidable | |
| 1453 | 1,330 | 2453 | 665 | Petition to revive - unintentional | |
| 1501 | 1,330 | 2501 | 665 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 1502 | 480 | 2502 | 240 | Design issue fee | |
| 1503 | 640 | 2503 | 320 | Plant issue fee | |
| 1460 | 130 | 1460 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 1807 | 50 | 1807 | 50 | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) | |
| 1806 | 180 | 1806 | 180 | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt | |
| 8021 | 40 | 8021 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | |
| 1809 | 770 | 2809 | 385 | For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 1814 | 110 | 2814 | 55 | Statutory Disclaimer | |
| 1810 | 770 | 2810 | 385 | For each additional invention to be examined (see 37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
| 1801 | 770 | 2801 | 385 | Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | |
| 1802 | 900 | 1802 | 900 | Request for expedited examination of a design application | |
| 1504 | 300 | 1504 | 300 | Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal pub. | |
| 1505 | 300 | 1505 | 300 | Publication fee for republication | |
| 1803 | 130 | 1803 | 130 | Request for voluntary publication or republication | |
| 1808 | 130 | 1808 | 130 | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) (except provisionals) | |
| 1454 | 1,330 | 1454 | 1,330 | Acceptance of unintentionally delayed claim for priority | |
| Other fee (specify) | | | | | |
| Other fee (specify) | | | | | |

SUBTOTAL (3) \$ 110.00

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